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In re Application of Atty. Docket

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Title: INTERCAVITY PROBE WITH CONTINUOUS SHIELDING OF ACOUSTIC WINDOW

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Arlington, VA 22313-1450

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination please amend the above-identified application as follows: